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City Council To Vote on \$100,000 Budget Amendment for Well Trial



More than 200 people attended protest rallies that were held near the EDS well site on November 6 and November 13.

In what Mayor Beverly McAnally called "the first step toward victory for the people of Romulus," Wayne County Circuit Court Judge Claudia House Morcom issued a temporary injunction – preventing Environmental Disposal Systems, Inc. (EDS) from continuing construction at its Romulus injection-well site, as well as postponing the City's suit of EDS for alleged ordinance violations – pending the outcome of a trial to determine whether or not EDS can operate its disposal facility in the City. That trial is

scheduled to begin in Judge Morcom's courtroom on Monday, November 29, at 9:30 a.m.

Commenting on Morcom's November 15 decision, City attorney Barry Siefman said, "We're very happy with today's results. It's obvious that Judge Morcom gave a lot of consideration to both sides. We take this as a good sign, and we're definitely encouraged."

Douglas Wicklund, president and CEO of EDS, is also encouraged by Monday's events.

"We are gratified that Judge Morcom has ruled that the serious matters in this case will be subject to trial in Wayne County Circuit Court. We will be fully prepared for trial on November 29. In the meantime, we will continue with the processing requirements of our EPA and DNR permits pursuant to federal and state law.

"We appreciate the concerns of the community," he continued. "Our intentions are to be a good corporate citizen
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Riopelle Maintains Innocence in 34th District Court Check

In her first formal statement to the press since the beginning of a Michigan State Police investigation into what 34th District Court Judge William Szlinis has called "improprieties in accounting procedures," former 34th District Court assistant court administrator Tamara Riopelle declared her innocence of any wrongdoing at the Court. Riopelle, along with court administrator Nancy Schuette (who resigned in September), had been placed on paid leave pending the results of the audit.

In the press release put together by Riopelle and her attorneys, Stroia & Stroia of Southgate, Riopelle says she has learned from the State Police that she "has officially been cleared in the recent embezzlement probe" at the Court. However, when they were contacted, neither Detective Sergeant Al Moffat nor Detective Sergeant Robert Peplinski of the Michigan State



Tamara Riopelle (photo courtesy of Sharron Russell, *The View*)

Police Conspiracy Crimes Division would confirm the statement, saying only that all materials from the investigation
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The Romulus News To Publish Special Goodfellow Edition

Although *The Romulus News* has never, in its more than six years of publishing, asked its readers to pay for an issue of the Paper, we are about to make a one-time-only exception to that rule for our next issue.

That's because the Romulus Goodfellows have honored us with a request to combine their annual fund-raising paper with our next edition, which will be published two days later than usual – on Friday, December 3, 1993, instead of the usual Wednesday date.

On Friday, December 3, and Saturday, December 4, the Goodfellows will be out on the streets of Romulus to distribute this special edition and seek donations for their many projects which benefit local families during the holidays.

We urge you to celebrate the true, giving spirit of the season by supporting this worthwhile cause to help our less fortunate neighbors. □

Ford Helps Romulus High School Students Investigate Implications of NAFTA



Congressman William D. Ford (D-Ypsilanti) is interviewed by Romulus High School students (from left) Stephanie Vit, Lisa Decker, Erin Reinhackel, Nicole Dyer, Kim Lincoln, and Jenny Wright as part of a project exploring the implications of the emerging global economy. The students, led by teacher Dennis Stoh, were in Washington, D.C. on October 28 to interview Ford, Senator Carl Levin, and other government officials on the North American Free Trade Agreement. (Ford is a leading NAFTA opponent.) Other Romulus students will travel to a Mexican assembly plant later in the year to examine conditions in the Maquiladora zone. The project will conclude with a symposium for 30 school districts, the production of a video documentary, and a C-SPAN show on May 1, 1994.

Letters to the Editor

Editor's note: All letters to the editor must contain the writer's signature and a telephone number where he/she can be reached in order to verify the letter's authenticity. Names will be withheld by request if, in our opinion, the letter's content merits anonymity.

The Romulus News reserves the right to edit all letters for clarity and, if necessary, brevity.

City Council Candidate Comments on Election

To the Editor:

This letter is to thank the 1,298 (so far) Romulus voters who showed the fortitude to pull the lever beside the name of Mary (Hatten) Collins on election day, November 2. I know in my heart it was because all of you felt that I might make a small difference in our local political system – a system which should be one that is honest, open, and looking out for your best interest as both residents and taxpayers.

A "thank you," also, to my wonderful family, my dear friends, and all those people who called to offer their support, help, and words of encouragement. God Bless you all.

As most everyone knows by now, this election will go into the history books as the closest race ever for Council seats, with one vote separating seventh and eighth place, and only 18 votes separating sixth and eighth place. Yes, I have petitioned for a recount at the County level. Under the circumstances, it was the only thing to do.

Unfortunately, there were three things that disappointed me regarding this election.

First was the small voter turnout – only 2,629 voters came out to the polls or cast absentee ballots. Out of 12,000 possible voters Citywide, that is a very small minority. One vote does make a difference – and if you think it doesn't, just ask me or Mike Prybyla.

Secondly, issues again were not addressed. There were no public forums or candidate nights where the people could come out and meet the candidates and have issues debated. Abe Lincoln must be disappointed.

The last disappointment was the biggest, only because I had hoped that this community had finally risen above such unspeakable actions. Political MUD just had to be slung by a person or persons bent on seeing that the "status quo" would remain the "status quo." My response to important issues such as the Hazardous Deep Injection Well were cited as "politically motivated," and I experienced a personal smear campaign – which had absolutely no bearing on my political views or beliefs – two days before the election. If it was meant to sway public opinion negatively, forget it; if anything, it added to my vote totals and rallied around me my family, friends, and people I had not known before, reminding me that I have experienced a much

more rewarding life than politics will ever provide.

In closing, I would like to reassure everyone that, no matter the outcome of the recount – win, lose, or draw – I haven't gone anywhere, will not abandon my fight for a better government, and will always work to make Romulus the best for your family and mine.

Mary (Hatten) Collins

Former City Councilman Supports Well Project

To the Editor:

I would like to express my feelings about the deep disposal well in our city. When I was on the City Council in 1990, I voted for the project because, in my opinion, we need the well to help clean up our city and our state.

If we continue to just throw liquid waste down the sewer drains or in our ditches, it's going to kill our fish, our animals, and us someday. I think we should talk to EDS (Environmental Disposal Systems, Inc.) about helping us clean up the glycol that the Airport uses to de-ice airplanes, instead of just allowing the glycol to go into the ground and ditches. From what I've been reading about these wells, they are a lot safer than what we have been doing with the waste.

I love to hunt and fish, and I will support anything that will help clean up our lakes and rivers, and will help our community.

Thank you,
Junior Block

EDS Responds to City Councilman's Concerns

Dear Mr. Russell Lambert:

Environmental Disposal Systems, Inc. (EDS) does not normally engage in political debates and issues; and, therefore, we have not responded to your statements made in the August 13–24, 1993 issue of *The Romulus News*.

Specifically, you said, "Since the initial proposal for this facility came before the City, I've spent a lot of time studying materials from a variety of expert sources. I don't think it's prudent to rely solely on information selected by a corporation which has an enormous financial interest in citing only favorable opinions; many other experts out there are more pessimistic about this disposal method's safety."

Two paragraphs further, your comments continued: "For instance, many of the wastes to be disposed of are man-made chemicals never encountered in nature. They are so new that we have not had time to thoroughly analyze the possible reactions that they could undergo in unusual environmental conditions. I find it difficult to believe that anyone can be *unconditionally certain* that these wastes, when combined together in an environment where temperatures and pressures are much higher than they are on the

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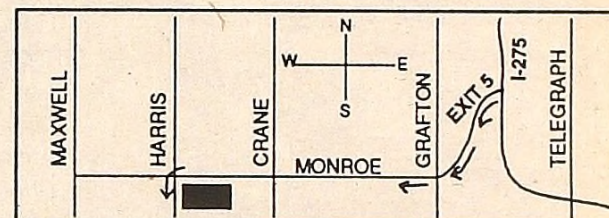
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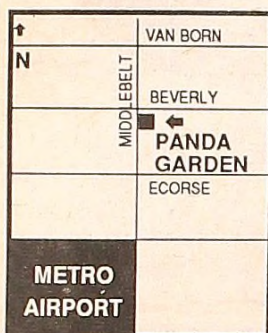
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EDS Addresses Residents' Most Common Questions

Editor's note: After numerous conversations with residents and business people who asked us a variety of questions about the Environmental Disposal Systems (EDS) well project, we at "the little paper" approached Douglas Wicklund, president and CEO of EDS, and asked him to address some of those most frequently asked. It should be noted that "the little paper" has consulted outside sources to check into all but the last of the questions below and, in every case, the EDS answer was independently confirmed.

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Q. Has construction of the well been completed (and, if so, when), or does some work remain?

A. Construction of the well was completed in August, 1993.

Q. Has the well been constructed on property which is properly zoned for its operation?

A. Yes. The location of the well is governed by federal and state law, which impose rigorous requirements on deep injection wells. We have received federal and state permits for this well. Moreover, if the City's zoning classification were applicable, it is our opinion that the property is properly zoned for the well.

Q. Has EDS already received its permit to operate the well?

A. Yes, but EDS cannot begin injecting waste into the well until after certain additional data is submitted to and reviewed by the Environmental Protection Agency.

Q. Has EDS already received its PA 64 permit for on-site storage?

A. EDS has a PA 64 "permit by rule" for its well. EDS has received an Underground Injection Control (UIC) permit under the federal Safe Drinking Water Act from the United States Environmental Protection Administration. PA 64 provides that EDS is therefore deemed to have a PA 64 permit for its well.

EDS has not proposed on-site storage and has therefore not applied for or obtained a PA 64 permit for on-site storage. If EDS proposes on-site storage, a PA 64 permit may be required.

Q. Were any other companies ever involved with EDS in the Romulus well project?

A. EDS is and has been the licensed owner-operator of the project and at all times has had sole responsibility for operating the well.

Q. Did EDS ever hire the University of Michigan Geology Department to evaluate the feasibility of constructing its well on property located on or near Van Born Road?

A. EDS, through its own geologists and through the University of Michigan (U of M) Geology Department, reviewed the underlying geological conditions of a number of areas in eastern-lower and southeastern Michigan before selecting its present site in Romulus. In particular, EDS requested the U of M geologists to review the feasibility of a site on Van

Born Road and received a recommendation against using said site.

Q. Is it true that people who own property located within a certain distance of the Romulus well must, if they choose to sell it, include a disclosure concerning the property's proximity to the well?

A. No such requirement is found in any of the rules governing Environmental Disposal System's deep injection well (i.e., Safe Drinking Water Act, Resource Conservation and Recovery Act, or Michigan PA 64). EDS is not aware of the existence of any such requirement in any other form of federal or state laws.

Q. Some well opponents maintain that there are environmentally safer ways of dealing with most of the hazardous wastes which will be injected into the Romulus well, but that these methods are not used because they are more expensive, and waste producers don't want to pick up the tab for the extra cost. Do these safer methods exist?

A. There are no safer ways — this is the opinion of our geologists and of the outside expert consultants we have engaged. Moreover, experience supports this conclusion. There are a number of deep injection wells throughout the United States, some of which have been operating for almost 50 years. In Michigan, there are about 20 deep injection wells, some of which have been in operation for about 25 years.

The Michigan Department of Natural Resources states that: "... of the 20 plus industrial waste disposal wells (Class I) presently operating, we have had no instances of well failure or contamination during a period of approximately 21 years."

There are other means of disposal which, to be permitted, must also meet stringent federal and state requirements. These other means are, in fact, more expensive — and, therefore, more costly to society — than our well. They are at best no safer (if as safe) than our well, and they require disposal of waste in our water sources and landfills. We offer a less costly and safer means of disposal.

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In accord with our intent to be a good corporate neighbor in the City of Romulus, EDS welcomes the chance to address residents' questions about the construction and operation of its injection-well facility. We believe that open communication of factual information is the best way to assure the public of the safety of our project and its benefit to the community.

If you have a question that you would like to ask, please feel free to call the EDS information line (313-955-2100). You need not identify yourself in order to ask your question; however, giving us your name and address would enable us to send you additional information that may be available to further address your concerns. □

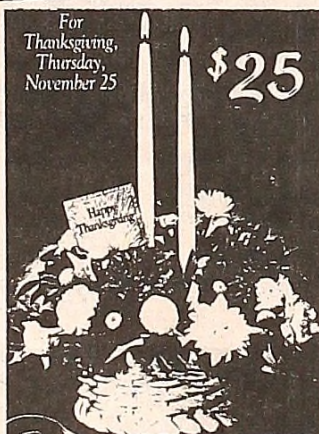
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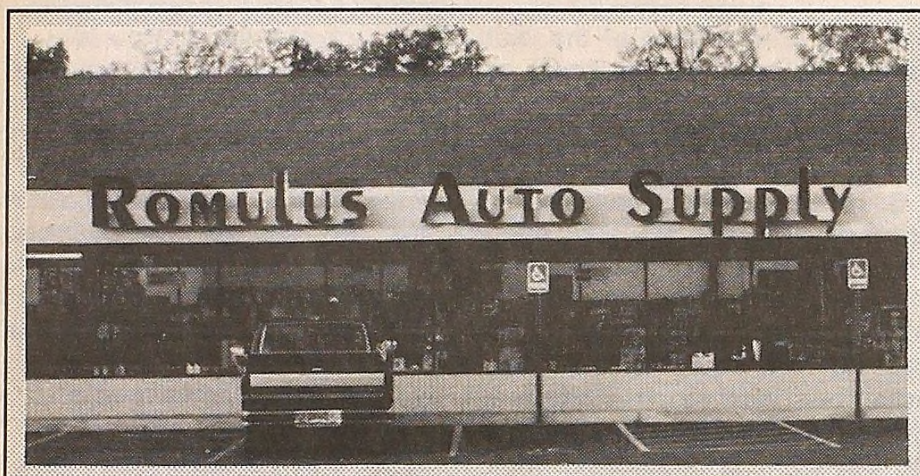
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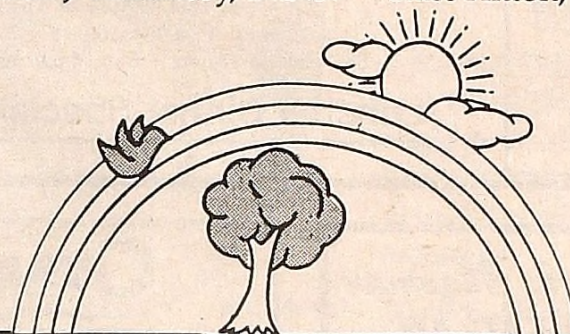
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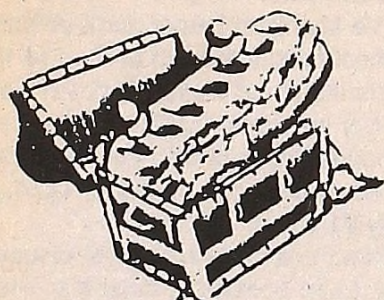
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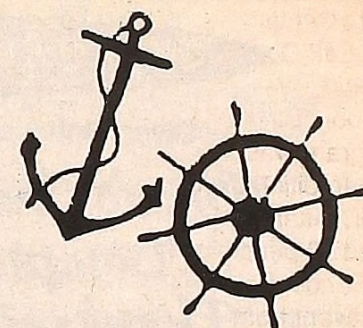


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Romulus Profile: Tom Dolan

By Tom Shamanski

Tom Dolan is a man who gets things done. Currently in his sixth year as principal of Romulus High School, the 46-year-old Dolan designed two highly successful programs for emotionally disturbed children before turning his focus toward his present career of educational administration.

In a recent interview, when asked to detail his part in establishing the above-mentioned programs, the 20-year Ann Arbor resident replied, "In 1973, I was offered a position at Northville Psychiatric Hospital in order to set up a program for adolescent psychiatric patients. The program — Everyday People in Control, or EPIC — was 'non-traditional' in design.

"At Northville," he continued, "I was the first 'non-psychiatrist' to establish and direct a psychiatric program."

Dolan went on to note that, initially, he began his task by hiring doctors, social workers, and others in the mental-health field to work on EPIC. Additionally, he mandated the necessary training for all the facility's child-care workers to enable them to serve as certified therapists.

In 1978, after Dolan had established and "fine-tuned" EPIC, Wayne County mental-health officials sought his expertise to revamp the Beacon Day Treatment Center.

Said Dolan, "Although it was a County project, I was hired through the Romulus school district because that's where the program was located. I used the same non-traditional approach that I used with EPIC. After hiring all the people I needed, I had 70 people working under me."

Under Dolan's skillful direction, Beacon went from accommodating 30 adolescents from five school districts to an impressive number of 200 children from 24 districts.

Dolan had exceptional credentials to qualify him to realize both the EPIC and Beacon programs. In 1968, the Auburn, New York native earned a bachelor of arts degree in psychology from Ypsilanti's Eastern Michigan University (EMU); the following year, he picked up his master's degree in counseling from EMU. He was 22 years old at the time.

In the midst of his post-graduate studies, Dolan worked at the Wayne County Child Development Center in Plymouth: "I was a child-care worker at the Center," he explained. "There were about 500 youths there — about 30 kids to a cottage."

After completing his university studies, Dolan remained with the Center, working as a youth counselor, and thus laying the groundwork for his eventual accomplishments with the EPIC and Beacon programs.

In 1985 — subsequent to Dolan's successful reorganization of the Beacon

Center — Dr. William Bedell, superintendent of Romulus Community Schools, asked Dolan to begin working for the District as principal of Romulus Junior High School. Three years later, Dolan was elevated to his present position of Romulus High School principal.

When queried as to the similarities between his psychiatric and education careers, Dolan replied, "It's as if there's a seamless web between the two: in psychiatry, I was developing programs; here, I'm into restructuring schools."

Of course, he also noted the fact that service to youth is another factor shared by the two fields.

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Dolan's excellence as both an educator and facilitator has certainly not gone unnoticed by his peers. On October 18, 1993, Dolan was honored as one of only six Michigan recipients of the prestigious Milken Family Foundation National Educator Award. The Foundation — whose self-proclaimed mission is "to help people help themselves and those around them to lead productive and satisfying lives" — recognizes that its mission is "fulfilled each day by the committed educator." The award carries with it an unrestricted \$25,000 in cash.

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During his eight-year tenure as a Romulus educator, Dolan has observed a number of changes within the Schools. He was asked to comment.

"I think the focus on the quality of services offered to students is more prevalent now. This has, in turn, increased the demands on, and changed the roles of, many of our teachers. Today's teacher is, in many instances, more of a facilitator than an educator. They teach more of everyday living — what's called 'authentic learning.'"

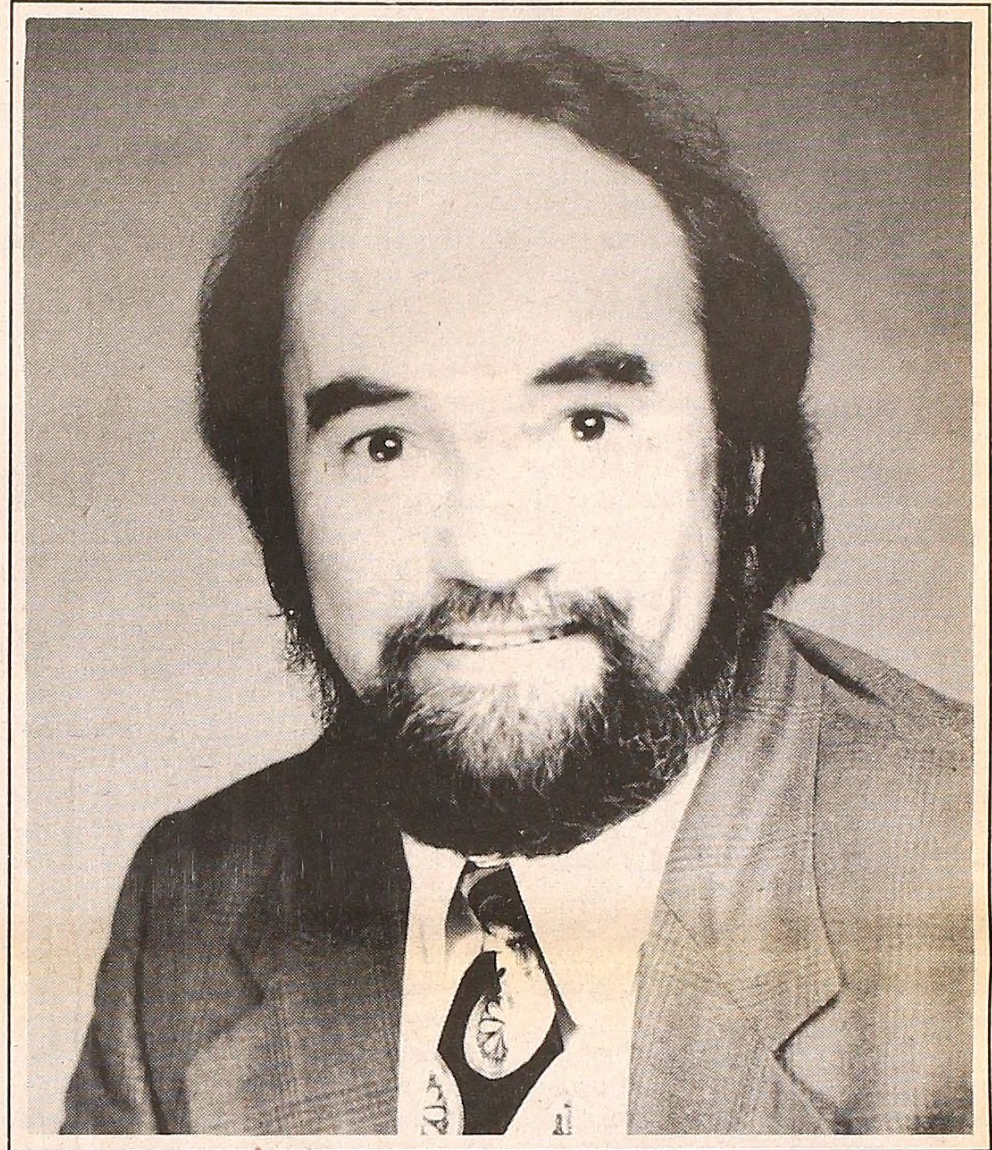
On the down side, Dolan added that, due to their own inability to effectively discipline their children, some parents are beginning to rely more on the schools to do the job for them.

"It's frustrating," he said, "because, for many kids, 'gangs, drugs, and rock-n-roll' are prevalent now. For the most part, however — due to a lot of hard work by our assistant principals — our high school seems to be relatively problem-free with regard to student behavior. I feel that, overall, our students are nice kids, and the parents are nice people."

But Dolan also noted his belief that the Junior High students are not arriving at the High School "as well prepared as they should be." This problem, he said, is one reason why Superintendent Bedell is so keen on developing and implementing the concept of "Schools of the Twenty-first Century."

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When asked to speak to his major goal or "vision" for Romulus High School, Dolan said, "I want to see collaborative



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schools where students and parents can join in marriage with educators to mutually achieve the skills that are needed for success on the outside. Presently, this relationship between students, parents, and teachers is dysfunctional."

Already (as Dolan would put it) "walking the talk" on this issue, he has geared up a program to pay parents to help achieve this highly worthwhile educational environment.

"I want to begin to actively bring some parents into this," he said, "so that they can, in turn, inspire other parents to follow their example. In school, we have already implemented a similar 'peer' program for students."

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During the interview, it was easy to see that Dolan is a man of seemingly boundless energy. For him, things like rushing off to talk to a class, or earnestly encouraging a particular student, or finalizing plans on yet another project, are merely everyday occurrences — events upon which the principal obviously thrives.

It was surprising, then, that when he was asked what other field he would have entered if he hadn't chosen his present career, Dolan smiled and replied, "I have a deep interest in plants and gardens. If I hadn't gone into all of this, I most likely would have gone into something related to that."

Dolan and his wife Jaci have been married for nine years. For the past 10 years, Jaci has worked as a special-education teacher in the Inkster public schools.

The Dolans have two daughters: three-year-old Calyn and 12-year-old Linsie. Dolan is also the father of Scott, 25, and Brian, who's 23. Scott, who lives in Atlanta, Georgia, is in the seafood business. Brian, who also resides in the Peach State, is working his way toward a degree in education.

In his leisure time, Dolan works out twice each week, running and "playing basketball when I can." He also enjoys cooking (especially soups), and — in keeping with his alternate career choice — turns into "an obsessive gardener" during the summer months.

Jaci enjoys shopping and doing aerobics. Together, the couple likes to exercise and spend time with their children.

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As the final bell rang, Dolan stated, "Altogether, I enjoy my work at the High School because Romulus is an appreciative community that has given unqualified support for education."

In light of his vast experience in working with children, it's also apparent that Dolan has given his unqualified support to the many students whose lives he has touched. □

LETTERS TO THE EDITOR

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surface, will not react in some unsuspectedly dangerous manner.

"Geologists can talk all they want to about waste materials remaining confined for 10,000 years; obviously, no one has actually been able to test such a theory and, as far as I'm concerned, too little is known about factors such as seismic activity and plate tectonics to allow for any such certainty."

It is not surprising to us that you do not quote any experts in your statements, and we view them in their proper context; namely, they are simply incorrect. However, your statements were made to the public and, therefore, we hereby offer the following in rebuttal:

Based on our experience in the deep-well industry, we are not familiar with any true experts that do not believe in the safety of deep-well injection if facilities are properly sited and operated according to current regulations. Negative comments typically come from a few "scientists" who are on the fringe of the technology and have little credibility with the regulatory agencies or the technical professionals who are knowledgeable about the history and practice of deep-well disposal. Although some historical practices have been cause for concern, current regulations and practice yields a high degree of environmental protection for the environment as discussed in: state and federal studies and reports, academic work, trade-industry-sponsored research, and studies by private industry.

The anthropogenic compounds disposed of via injection are well understood. Chemical reactions at pressures and temperatures far in excess of those which will be encountered in the use of the EDS disposal well are regularly studied. In addition, the conditions in the Mt. Simon injection zone are not as extreme as you may believe. The temperature is only 90 degrees Fahrenheit at the bottom of the well and maximum pressures near the bottom of the well will be 2,000 to 3,000 psi. These conditions are often encountered in surface operations and can be easily replicated for study. In fact, the USEPA (United States Environmental Protection Agency) requires compatibility testing at simulated underground

conditions as part of the permitting process. As a final note, it will be in the best financial interest of EDS to fully investigate compatibility issues because the most common reaction of chemicals placed in the well will be precipitation of solids. Since this will tend to plug up the well, EDS would lose revenue because of decreased disposal capacity should these compatibility issues not be adequately addressed.

Since the practice of waste fluid injection has only been used for approximately 100 years, it is true that no one has been able to test the confinement for waste over 10,000 years. However, a significant amount of work has been done to study the movement and containment of natural fluids such as fresh water, salt water, and oil and gas over time frames of between hours and hundreds of millions of years. Many studies have been successfully completed over periods of tens of years to verify computer calculations by drilling wells into "plumes" and comparing results. This large body of scientific information, along with the study of waste injection and oil and gas production over the past hundred years, provides a good basis for the prediction of the fate of deep-well-disposed wastes.

Seismic activity and plate tectonics are also subjects which have been extensively studied. The geology of the Michigan Basin is very old and stable. Tectonic plate movement such as subduction or rift zone growth does not occur in this area. Earthquakes (seismic activity) are also not a concern at the Romulus site. Active faults, a common focus of natural earthquakes, are distant from this facility. In addition, federal and state regulations require permit conditions which will prevent any activity at the site from causing any seismic activity. Plate tectonics and natural or man-made earth movements are not a cause for concern at this disposal-well site.

As always, we look forward to the opportunity to address your statements and, at the same time, present factual data to the public for its consideration.

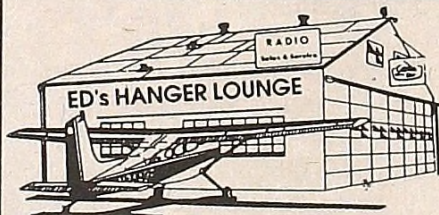
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RIOPELLE MAINTAINS INNOCENCE

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igation had been turned over to the State Attorney General's office. The Attorney General's office has also declined to comment, saying that it has not yet completed its review of the audit to determine whether or not charges will be leveled against anyone. Szlinis, too, denies having received any official notice of Riopelle's clearance.

Riopelle maintains that she had long been critical of the handling of cash and the audit process, and was outspoken on those matters to the Presiding Judge.

"It was a shock to me," said Riopelle, "to be told that I was the subject of an investigation."

In her efforts to cooperate with investigators and clear her name, Riopelle said that she took a polygraph examination and voluntarily permitted an audit of her personal accounts. The results of both, she said, have thoroughly demonstrated her lack of participation in any embezzlement.

Since learning that the position she had held at the Court has been eliminated, and that no new employment was offered to her, Riopelle has applied for the position of court administrator. She believes that her 15-year tenure at the Court and her knowledge of what procedures need changing make her a unique candidate for the job. □

Romulus City Officials Sworn in for 1993-1995 Term



Sworn into office by 34th District Court Judge Henry Zaborowski are (from left): Mayor Beverly McAnally, Clerk Linda Choate, Treasurer James Napiorkowski, Mayor Pro Tem Mary Ann Banks, and City Councilmen Randolph Gear, William Wadsworth, Jimmie C. Raspberry, Noah P. Bergeron, and Ellis Pennington.

Taking their oath of office at the City's inaugural ceremony, which was held in the Council Chambers at Romulus City Hall on Monday, November 8, were Mayor Beverly McAnally, Clerk Linda Choate, Treasurer James Napiorkowski, Mayor Pro Tem Mary Ann Banks, and City Councilmen Noah "Pete" Bergeron, Randolph Gear, Ellis Pennington, Jimmie C. Raspberry, and William Wadsworth.

Michael Prybyla, who appeared to have defeated fellow candidate Mary (Hatten) Collins by one vote to secure the seventh Council seat in the November 2 election, was not sworn in because Collins has requested an official recount of the votes cast.

The recount will take place at Romulus City Hall on Tuesday, November 23, at 8:30 a.m. □

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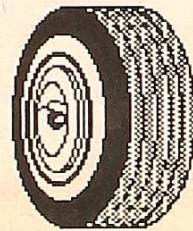
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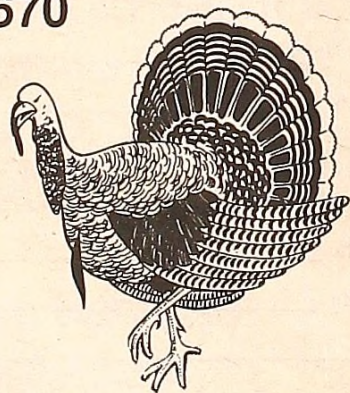
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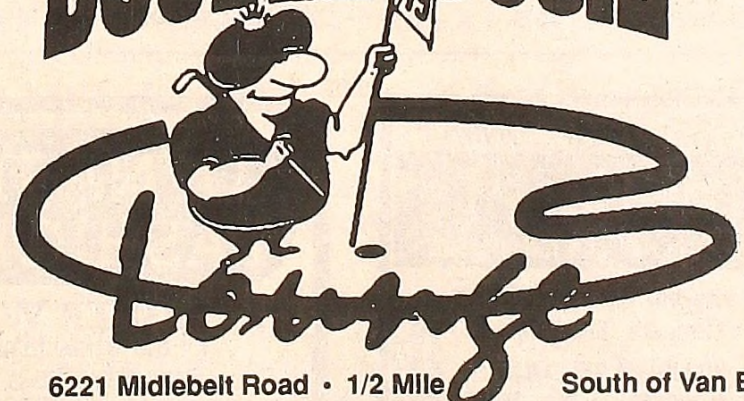
With a definite trial date set, Mayor McAnally and her staff have put together a budget amendment proposal to allocate \$100,000 for costs incurred by the

well trial. McAnally says it's highly doubtful that the money, which would be diverted from four other accounts, will be enough to cover the entire cost of the trial.

McAnally expects the proposal to be presented to the City Council at its Monday, November 22 meeting. □

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- There are conventional mortgages which require five percent, 10%, 15%, and 20% down – the qualifications vary, depending on the loan company that you are working with.
- Some programs cater to those who have only a small down payment. For instance, the Community Home Buyers program offers a conventional loan, but some participating lenders will require only three percent rather than the traditional five percent. The additional two percent is either financed or covered by a slightly higher interest rate.
- On some loans, you can use gift money from relatives; some loans have no closing costs. There are no-point loans, and there are loans where you pay points and keep the mortgage rates lower.
- For some loans, you need a job history of as little as two years. Have you changed jobs lately? Some companies will allow it if your new job is in the same field.
- How many credit problems have you really had? Have you looked at your credit report lately? If you haven't, maybe we should run a check and see if there are things that we can do to clean it up so that you can qualify. An in-house credit check will let us see this, and most lenders will not charge a fee.

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- **Home Gun Safety Course** - The Romulus Police Department will sponsor a Home Gun Safety Course from 12 to 4 p.m. on Saturday, December 4, at the Romulus Recreation Department (located at 36515 Bibbins, downtown Romulus). The course will consist of classroom work *only*; attendees *may not* bring weapons to the class! Romulus residents may attend the course free of charge; nonresidents must pay a fee of \$5. For more information, please call the Romulus Police Department at 941-8400.
- **Brighton Beach Memoirs Auditions** - The Huron Civic Theatre group will hold auditions for its production of Neil Simon's *Brighton Beach Memoirs* from 7 to 10 p.m. on Monday, December 13, and Tuesday, December 14, at the Huron Civic Auditorium (32044 Huron River Drive, New Boston - just 10 minutes south of Metro Airport, across from Michigan Memorial Park). Roles are available for three adults (each approximately 40 years old) and four teenagers. Production dates are February 18, 19, 20, 26, and 27, 1994. For more information, please call 782-5380.
- **Youth Workshop** - Huron Civic Theatre will host ACT UP! - a theatre art workshop for children ages seven to 17. The program will be a 16-session series to be held Saturday afternoons from 1 to 5 p.m. beginning January 8, 1994. The program will conclude with an original production staged by ACT UP! students (working title: "Tomfoolery Follies"), scheduled for May 14 and 15, 1994. An informational meeting will give parents and prospective students an opportunity to meet ACT UP! instructors Dawn Daniels and Belinda Sidebottom, and hear more in-depth information about the program - but, if you have a burning question that just won't wait until the December 4 meeting, contact Dawn (654-0167) or Belinda (675-6183).
- **St. Stephen's Craft Bazaar** - The Mother's Guild of St. Stephen Church (New Boston) invites you to begin your holiday shopping at its annual craft bazaar on Saturday, November 20, from 12 to 7 p.m.; and Sunday, November 21, from 9 a.m. to 1 p.m. For more information, please contact Cheryl (753-3011) or St. Stephen School.
- **Herb Conference** - The Sixth Annual Herb Conference will be held at The Ramada Inn (8270 Wickham Road, Romulus) on Saturday, November 20, from 10 a.m. to 4:30 p.m. (Sign-in time is 9 a.m.) Tickets (\$30) are available at the In-Balance Center. Call 941-8778 for more information.
- **Mentors Sought** - The Community Commission on Drug Abuse (CCODA), a community prevention agency, is looking for mentors to help support, educate, and nurture pregnant and parenting teens in western Wayne County. Training is on-going. For information, call Gail at 313-513-7598.
- **Weight Watchers Southern-style Chili Sampling** - Open your mind - and your mouth - when Weight Watchers food advisors present Southern-style chili at Area bookstores. A demonstration on how to prepare this yummy new Weight Watchers recipe, as well as free samples, will be presented at B. Dalton Bookseller (2300 Eureka Road, Southland Mall, Taylor) on Friday, November 19, from 7 to 8:30 p.m.; and at Waldenbooks (Woodland Square, 30200 Plymouth Road, Livonia) on Saturday, November 20, from 2 to 4 p.m. Both events are free and open to the public. For more information, please call 1-800-487-4777.
- **TOPS Meetings** - TOPS (Take Off Pounds Sensibly) - a support group that provides encouragement to its members as each follows his/her chosen "safe weight-loss" program - meets at 6 p.m. every Tuesday at the Kirkridge Park Cooperative Clubhouse (Belleville). For more information, call Kim (697-3721) or Flo (722-1319).

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Harvest a Bounty of Fall Favorites To Grace Your Thanksgiving Table

To celebrate America's most traditional feast, Weight Watchers has developed three side-dish recipes that showcase the fruits of the harvest.

"Fruits and nuts have always been symbols of bounty," says Florine Mark, president and CEO of The WW Group, Inc., the largest franchise of Weight Watchers International. "This year, why not feature them in both your holiday centerpiece and your holiday meal?"

To satisfy both the eye and the palate, serve this trio with your Thanksgiving meal. While the roast turkey is carved, let guests sip Butternut Apple Soup, rich with the flavors of McIntosh apples and pecans. Then, accompany your main course with a luscious Walnut-pear Salad and Pumpkin Nut Bread for a meal abundant in harvest goodness.

All recipes are courtesy of *Weight Watchers Magazine*. □



You won't leave the holiday dinner table feeling cheated if the meal contains healthy, delicious dishes like Walnut-pear Salad (photo courtesy of MaryLou McKerrell, The WW Group, Inc.)

Butternut Apple Soup

(makes 8 servings)

- 1 tablespoon + 1 teaspoon reduced-calorie tub margarine
- 1/2 cup chopped shallots
- 1/2 cup diced celery
- 2 garlic cloves, minced
- 2 teaspoons curry powder
- 1 teaspoon ground ginger
- 1/4 cup tomato paste
- 1 1/2 pounds butternut squash, pared, seeded, and cut into pieces
- 2 small McIntosh apples, pared, cored, and quartered
- 1 ounce coarsely chopped pecans
- 2 cups low-sodium chicken broth
- 1/4 teaspoon salt
- 5 whole black peppercorns
- 2 ounces dry white wine
- 1 tablespoon heavy cream
- 6 ounces imitation crab meat, shredded
- 1/2 medium red bell pepper, seeded and thinly sliced

In Dutch oven, melt margarine over medium heat. Add shallots, celery, and garlic. Cook, stirring frequently, 2-3 minutes, until tender. Stir in curry powder and ginger; cook 1 minute.

Stir in tomato paste, squash, apples, and pecans. Pour in broth, 2 cups water, the salt, and peppercorns; bring to a boil. Cover, reduce heat to low, and simmer 30-35 minutes, stirring occasionally, until vegetables are tender.

Remove soup from heat; let cool slightly; with slotted spoon, remove peppercorns. In blender or food processor, puree soup, in batches, until smooth. Return pureed soup to Dutch oven. Stir in wine and cream. Heat soup over medium heat until just heated through; do not boil.

To serve, ladle soup evenly into eight bowls. Divide crab meat and bell pepper strips evenly among bowls.

Each serving (1 cup) provides: 1/2 Protein; 3/4 Bread; 1/2 Vegetable; 1/2 Fat; 1/4 Fruit; 25 Optional Calories on the Weight Watchers Food Plan.

Per Serving: 125 calories; 4 g protein; 5 g fat; 17 g carbohydrate; 359 mg sodium; 6 mg cholesterol.

Walnut-pear Salad

(makes 4 servings)

- 8 Boston lettuce leaves
- 1 tablespoon cider vinegar
- 2 teaspoons vegetable oil
- 2 teaspoons low-sodium soy sauce
- 1 garlic clove, minced

- 1 teaspoon grated, fresh ginger root
- 6 ounces cooked sweet potato, cut into 1/4-inch slices
- 2 small Bartlett pears, pared, cored, and sliced
- 1/4 cup chives, cut in 1/2-inch pieces
- 1 ounce toasted walnut halves

Line four salad plates with lettuce; set aside.

In medium bowl, combine vinegar, oil, soy sauce, garlic, and ginger root. Gently stir in sweet potato, pears, and chives. Divide evenly over lettuce leaves. Sprinkle evenly with walnuts.

Each serving provides: 1/2 Protein; 1/2 Bread; 1 Vegetable; 1 Fat; 1/2 Fruit on the Weight Watchers Food Plan.

Per serving: 157 calories; 2 g protein; 7 g fat; 23 g carbohydrate; 74 mg sodium; 0 mg cholesterol.

Pumpkin Nut Bread

(makes 12 servings)

- 1 1/2 cups all-purpose flour
- 1/4 cup + 2 tablespoons whole-wheat flour
- 1 1/2 ounces old-fashioned oats
- 1/2 teaspoon ground cardamom
- 1/2 teaspoon ground ginger
- 1/2 teaspoon baking powder
- 1/4 teaspoon baking soda
- 1/4 teaspoon ground nutmeg
- 1 cup canned pumpkin puree
- 1/4 cup frozen orange juice concentrate, thawed
- 2 tablespoons + 2 teaspoons reduced-calorie margarine, melted
- 1 large egg, lightly beaten
- 2 tablespoons firmly packed light-brown sugar
- 2 tablespoons honey
- 1/2 cup raisins
- 2 1/2 ounces coarsely chopped pecans

Preheat oven to 350°F. Spray an 8"x3 1/4" loaf pan with nonstick cooking spray; set aside.

In large bowl, combine flours, oats, cardamom, ginger, baking powder, baking soda, and nutmeg. In medium bowl, combine pumpkin, juice concentrate, margarine, egg, brown sugar, and honey until blended. Pour wet ingredients into dry; mix just until blended. Gently stir in raisins and pecans just until combined.

Spread batter into prepared pan. Bake 40-45 minutes, until browned and toothpick inserted in center comes out clean. With knife, loosen around edges; remove bread from pan; cool on rack.

Each serving provides: 1/2 Protein; 1 Bread; 3/4 Fat; 1/2 Fruit; 20 Optional Calories on the Weight Watchers Food Plan.

Per serving: 195 calories; 4 g protein; 6 g fat; 32 g carbohydrate; 70 mg sodium; 18 mg cholesterol.

Barth, Cory Schools Recognize Their "Honor Roll" Students

Congratulations to the following students from Barth and Cory elementary schools for earning a spot on the honor roll for the first card-marking period of the 1993-1994 school year.

Barth Elementary

Note: An asterisk denotes students who received all "A" grades.

Mrs. Davis' Room

Aaron Adams, *Travis Chandler, Dwayne Harris, Keith Kelley, Danielle McClue, *Falencia Owensby, and Travis Person.

Mrs. Gursky's Room

Irene Baker, Leah Cotham, Chris DeFelice, Amanda Judy, Gary Lee, Byron Lewis, Anson Long, Lonnie McCollum, Beth Naif, Matthew Neimann, *Dayna Peters, *Monica Watson, and *Ray Woodrow.

Mrs. Hall's Room

Holly Aytes, Jason Cantrell, Christopher Chesno, Brandi Hamilton, Ashley Hayes, Sharonda Jackson, Jared Joiner, Natasha Lowe, Adam Malloy, Steven Parks, Bethany Swauger, Laura Tanner, and Troy Williams.

Mrs. Hedlin's Room

Jocelyn Barnes, Paul Bodis, April DeFelice, Rebecca Garland, Molly Hackney, Jennell Harper, Amanda Letner, Danylle Malloy, Brandon Olson, Nicole Parks, John Ryznar, and Jeremy Townsend.

Mrs. Lanning's Room

Robert Adkins, Nicole Bills, Rachel Broom, Jessica Cantrell, Kelly Carroll, Joshua Cutliff, Kendal Duncan, *Jerome Gray, Justin Harp, *Deana Hunter, Mike Johnson, Jillian Reno, Andy Swaro, Davon Weatherholt, Erica Williams, and David Wyscaver.

Mrs. Mientkiewicz's Room

Amanda Brewington, Ronald Buckley, Jeremy Cantrell, *Meghan Conway, Leslie Dailey, LeChaunte Ellerson, *Rick Hadyniak, Joseph Haverlock, *Bradley Hindman, Julian Lambert, December Long, Joshua Nichols, Tony Penn, Robert Rice, Bobby Robbins, Natasha Tao, Matthew Thiede, Joseph Watt, Orlando Wells, Angela Williams, *Megan Woodrow, and Jayme Zachrey.

Mrs. Power's Room

Justin Benci, *Ryan Block, *Andrea Coate, Theresa Genaw, Robert Graham, Teleair Green, Marshal Hardt, Chelsea Harp, Carla Harris, Brandon Hindman, Linsey Hoppe, *Rachel Kolar, Ruby Lee,

Angela Longo, Jasmine Noble, John Penn, Kim Pollard, Jennifer Schnarrs, and Carrie Spielman.

Mrs. Reott's Room

*Robert Belcher, Curtis Bradford, Philip Britt, *Erin Conway, Moriah Holbrook, Andrea Hoppe, *Ray Hulslander, Philip Kufel, Crystal Lowe, Sarah Mattson, *Shawna Peters, David Pifer, *Donald Slater, Neil Sneath, *Eric Staten, Amee Swauger, and Adam Weber.

Cory Elementary

Note: An asterisk denotes students who made the Principal's Honor Roll.

Mr. Blackburn's Room

Taritonye Burutolu and Matthew Slater.

Ms. English's Room

Antoine Bailey, *Brittany Bingham, *Elizabeth Caburet, *Nikki Carr, *Dayna Dawson, Alicia DeBruhl, *Adam Gibbons, *Jasmine Mark, and Rubens Pailier.

Ms. Gilkey's Room

*Aaron Brown, Kenyon Healey, Ryan Henne, *Chris Higgins, *Jamie Hool, *Keith Hubbard, *Amy Hudson, Makenzie Logan, *Ashley Slone, and *Chris Talley.

Ms. Green's Room

Kevin Baber, Russell Barnes, Alexis Brown, Marcus Eatmon, *Tracie Finley, Tommy Gebo, Mychal Hill, Yohanaus King, *Anthony Saenz, and Jamie Usher.

Ms. Kirk's Room

*Kelly Hardway, Alex Macfarlane, *Heather Patrick, Loretta Ransaw, *Andrew Rodger, Ta-Kara Roquemore, *Clifford Smith, Melita Tolbert, Breneé Warren, and *Cassie Wilson.

Ms. Morgan's Room

Keyrion Campbell, Brandon Dawson, *Brenda Finley, *Della Hamby, *Jamie Henne, James Radford, Matthew Trout, and Shannon Winkles.

Ms. Pluff's Room

*Candice Bingham, *Nicole Burgess, Tariprey Burutolu, *Tyra Donald, *Christopher Garwood, Joslyn Hankerson, *Heather Heughens, *Amanda Hislop, Kara-Jo Kraft, *JoNeke McClain, and Anton Poole.

Ms. Price's Room

Monique Chadwick, Keri Deverich, Tiffany Flemings, Diondra Franklin, LaDonna Franklin, Dinah Malosh, *Crystal Massey, Renia Thum, and Ernest Tolbert.

Ms. Washington's Room

Xavier Clemons, *Megan Kelley, and Ashley McGrane. □

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REGULAR MEETING, OCTOBER 25, 1993

The Regular Meeting of the Romulus Board of Education held Monday, October 25, 1993, was called to order by President Kesner at 7:30 P.M.

Roll call showed Member Wilkerson absent (excused). All Administrators were present. Pledge of Allegiance was led by President Kesner.

Approval of Agenda:

Dr. Bedell requested that Item A. "Student Hearing - Executive Session" under Report of the Superintendent be deleted.

10/93/12 Moved by King supported by Hoffman the Board approve the Agenda as amended by Dr. Bedell. Ayes: 6. Nays: 0. Motion carried.

Approval of Minutes of Previous Meetings:

10/93/13 Moved by Berlenn supported by King the Board approve the Minutes of October 11, 1993, as presented. Ayes: 6. Nays: 0. Motion carried.

Communications and Expressions from the Public:

Mr. Donald Keane commented that Barth's landscaping is not what it should be and expressed concern about daughter's advanced math and time out of class.

Report of the Superintendent:

Personnel Actions

Dr. LeCesne recommended the following Personnel Actions for Board approval:

A. **Resignation:** Duayne Harper, Teacher - Middle School, Eff. 10/18/93.

10/93/14 Moved by Berlenn supported by Hoffman the Board approve the Personnel Actions as recommended by Dr. LeCesne. Ayes: 6. Nays: 0. Motion carried.

10/93/15 Moved by Berlenn supported by Hoffman the Board set new rates for the Latch Key Program effective November 1, 1993, as recommended. Ayes: 6. Nays: 0. Motion carried.

10/93/16 Moved by Patterson supported by Hoffman the Board authorize a three percent (3%) salary increase retroactive to 9/1/93 for Latchkey and Dept. of Education Preschool employees as recommended. Ayes: 6. Nays: 0. Motion carried.

Bills for Payment

10/93/17 Moved by Berlenn supported by King the Board approve the Bills for Payment as submitted by Administrator Carr. Ayes: 6. Nays: 0. Motion carried.

Adoption of 1993-1994 Debt Fund Budget

10/93/18 Moved by Patterson supported by Berlenn the Board adopt the 1993-1994 Debt Fund Budget as presented. Ayes: 6. Nays: 0. Motion carried.

Discussion of Contracted Services

Contracted Services were discussed by Board Members.

Proposed Testing Consultant

This item is withdrawn.

Position on Governor's Proposal

10/93/19 Moved by Langley supported by Berlenn the Board accept the recommendation of the Superintendent and support the C.A.R.E. group's attempts to petition against Governor Engler's proposed school reform; and, further, that the Board inform Senator Faust and Representative Pitoniak of their opposition and expectation that our elected officials will not only vote no, but work hard for its defeat. Ayes: 6. Nays: 0. Motion carried.

Items of Interest from the Superintendent

Dr. Bedell discussed the following Items of Interest with Board Members: 1) Lawyer's Letter - TIFA Status; 2) High School Sustained Reading; 3) Oakes' Letter - Update; 4) WC RESA Minutes Summary; 5) Wolpe Letter of "Thanks"; and 6) WWJ Invitation.

Questions and/or Concerns of Board Members

Member King - Summary of attendance of WCASB Legislative Session.

Adjournment:

10/93/20 Moved by Patterson supported by King the meeting be adjourned. Ayes: 6. Nays: 0. Motion carried.

The meeting adjourned at 8:42 P.M.

Respectfully submitted,
Sandra F. Langley, Secretary
Romulus Board of Education

Public Library Reopens

In order to permit the City of Romulus to remove asbestos and perform other renovation work in the Public Library and then use the Library for office space while similar work is completed at City Hall, the Library is being temporarily housed at the Romulus school district's Mt. Pleasant facility. The project is expected to take approximately 13 months to complete.

After a short closure, during which books and other materials were transferred, the Library reopened on Monday, November 15, and has resumed its regular winter hours: Monday and Tuesday, 12 to 8 p.m.; Wednesday, 10 a.m. to 8 p.m.; Thursday, 10 a.m. to 5 p.m.; and Saturday, 12 to 5 p.m. For more information, please call the Library's new number: 941-7369. □

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Jamie Shirey

James and Sherry Shirey of Belleville, Michigan, are proud to announce the birth of their new baby, Jaime Shirey.

Jaime was born at Henry Ford Hospital (Detroit, MI) on Friday, July 23, 1993, weighing in at seven pounds and 13½ ounces, and measuring 20¼ inches.

Jaime's grandparents are John and Sharon Murphy (Romulus, MI); Thomas Rousseau (Romulus, MI); Mike and Elaine Buvia (Westland, MI); and Wayne and Jan Shirey (Westland, MI). □



Obituaries

Harry B. Bell, Sr.

Harry B. Bell, Sr. — a longtime resident of Romulus, Michigan — died Friday, November 12, 1993, at the age of 77.

Harry was born in Detroit, Michigan, on May 8, 1916, and married Edna M. Shank on September 7, 1943.

He is survived by his wife; a son, Harry B. Bell, Jr., and his wife Susan; and two grandchildren: Terry and Ron.

No funeral services were held.

Memorial tributes may be made to the Bell family.

Joseph W. Celske

Joseph W. Celske of Romulus, Michigan, died Friday, November 5, 1993. He was 20 years old.

Joseph — who was born in Lincoln Park, Michigan, on December 16, 1972 — was a production worker for Corrigan Air & Sea. The 1992 Romulus High School graduate had been a member of the wrestling team, and had participated in both basketball and weight-lifting as well.

Joseph is survived by his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Julius (Faye) Celske; a

sister, Tabatha Celske; a paternal grandmother, Mrs. Ruth O. Celske; and a maternal grandmother, Mrs. Etha Collins.

Funeral services were held Tuesday, November 9, at Crane Funeral Home (Romulus, MI), with Reverend J.D. Landis (Community United Methodist Church, Romulus, MI) officiating. Burial was at Romulus Cemetery. Arrangements were made by Crane Funeral Home.

Memorial tributes may be made to the Celske family.

Jason Robert-Nathaniel Smith

Jason Robert-Nathaniel Smith of Romulus, Michigan, died Tuesday, November 9, 1993. He was two years old.

Jason — born in Ann Arbor, Michigan, on September 29, 1991 — is survived by his mother, Jennifer R. Smith, and his brother, Matthew J. Bower.

Funeral services were held on Saturday, November 13, at Vermeulen Memo-

rial Trust 100 Funeral Home (Westland, MI), with Reverend J. Marvin Hawbaker (Calvary Baptist Church, Romulus, MI) officiating. Interment was at Michigan Memorial Park (Flat Rock). Arrangements were made by Vermeulen Memorial Trust 100 Funeral Home.

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WALTER'S / ROMULUS LANES Huron River Dr. W. of 5-Points	THE LANDING STRIP Goddard - Downtown Romulus	TINA'S MINI MART Van Born Rd. W. of Wayne Rd.	CLARION HOTEL Wickham Rd.
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DALY'S RESTAURANT Huron River Dr. S. of 5-Points	ROMULUS RECREATION DEPT. Bibbins St. at Shook Rd.	RUSH'S FLORIST Van Born Rd. at Henry Ruff Rd.	QUALITY INN Wick Rd. W. of Wickham Rd.
OMNICON CABLE COMPANY Huron River Dr. S. of 5-Points	ROMULUS SENIOR CENTER Bibbins St. at Shook Rd.	JORDAN'S II RESTAURANT Merriman Rd. S. of Van Born Rd.	HOWARD JOHNSON HOTEL Merriman Rd. N. of I-94
Z-MART PARTY STORE Huron River Dr. S. of 5-Points	FAMILY NEIGHBORHOOD SERVICE Shook Rd. at Bibbins St.	MOBIL SERVICE STATION Van Born Rd. at Merriman Rd.	PAYLESS CAR RENTAL Merriman Rd. N. of I-94
ROMULUS ADULT EDUCATION Superior St. E. of Hannan Rd.	34TH DISTRICT COURT Wayne Rd. S. of Goddard Rd.	UNCLE JOE'S MARKET Merriman Rd. N. of Van Born Rd.	BOB EVANS RESTAURANT Flynn Drive
BARTH ELEMENTARY SCHOOL Barth Rd. W. of Huron River Dr.	ROMULUS LIBRARY Wayne Rd. S. of Goddard Rd.	METRO PANDA GARDEN Middlebelt Rd. at Beverly Rd.	MARRIOTT COURTYARD HOTEL Flynn Drive
SUPER J # 2 PARTY STORE Eureka Rd. at Huron River Dr.	ROMULUS CITY HALL Wayne Rd. S. of Goddard Rd.	WINDIATE HARDWARE Middlebelt Rd. at Beverly Rd.	MARRIOTT HOTEL Flynn Drive
FAMILY DENTISTRY Huron River Dr. S. of 5-Points	WHISPERING WILLOWS CO-OP Wayne Rd. S. of Goddard Rd.	DOUBLE BOGIE LOUNGE Middlebelt Rd. N. of Beverly Rd.	FLAGG'S RESTAURANT Middlebelt Rd. S. of I-94
ROMULUS MEDICAL CENTER Huron River Dr. S. of 5-Points	POTTER TIRE & BRAKE CENTER Goddard Rd. at Wayne Rd.	SHELL SERVICE STATION Van Born Rd. at Middlebelt Rd.	COMFORT INN NORTH Middlebelt Rd. S. of I-94
DETROIT AUTOMATIC TOOLING Huron River Dr. S. of 5-Points	ROMULUS DPW Goddard Rd. E. of Wayne Rd.	UNOCAL 76 Van Born Rd. at Inkster Rd.	COMFORT INN SOUTH Middlebelt Rd. S. of I-94
FIRE STATION #1 Northline Rd. E. of Huron River Dr.	OFFICE OF MORGAN MANOR APT. Wayne Rd. N. of I-94	BABY DOLL LOUNGE Inkster Rd. at Van Born Rd.	SUPER 8 MOTEL Middlebelt Rd. S. of I-94
D. PAUL NELSON PHOTOGRAPHY Huron River Dr. S. of 5-Points	MURRAY A. DUNCAN, ATTORNEY Wayne Rd. N. of I-94	GRANNY'S RESTAURANT Inkster Rd. at Ecorse Rd.	SKYVIEW RESTAURANT Middlebelt Rd. at Northline Rd.
CAPTAIN NEMO'S Huron River Dr. S. of 5-Points	K. SATA, D.D.S. Wayne Rd. N. of I-94	MEMORIES AGAIN LOUNGE Inkster Rd. at Ecorse Rd.	FIRE STATION #4 Eureka Rd. E. of Middlebelt Rd.
HURON AUTO CLINIC Corner of 5-Points	AV-TECH Wayne Rd. N. of I-94	FIRE STATION #3 Middlebelt Rd. S. of Ecorse Rd.	HALECREEK ELEMENTARY SCHOOL Harrison Rd. S. of Eureka Rd.
ROMULUS BOARD OF EDUCATION Grant Rd. W. of Wayne Rd.	KAHL & ASSOCIATES Wayne Rd. N. of I-94	STELLA'S CAFE Ecorse Rd. W. of Middlebelt Rd.	A.J.s CONEY ISLAND Eureka Rd. at Inkster Rd.
RHONDA J. HENNESSY, D.D.S. Goddard near 5-Points	FIRST OF AMERICA BANK Wayne Rd. N. of I-94	M & M MARKET Ecorse Rd. E. of Merriman Rd.	SUNSHINE MARKET Eureka Rd. at Middlebelt Rd.
DAVE'S BARBER SHOP Goddard near 5-Points	ROMULUS HIGH SCHOOL Wayne Rd. N. of I-94	COTTAGE INN PIZZA Ecorse Rd. at Merriman Rd.	TOTAL GAS STATION Eureka Rd. at Middlebelt Rd.
DETROIT GAGE COMPANY Goddard near 5-Points	ROMULUS HELP CENTER Wayne Rd S. of Wick Rd.	CHAMPION MARTIAL ARTS Ecorse Rd. at Merriman Rd.	STEARS HARDWARE Middlebelt Rd. at Eureka Rd.
POLKA-DOT PARTY PANTRY Goddard near 5-Points	VILLAMIN & VILLAMIN, P.C. Wayne Rd. S. of Wick Rd.	STYLE-A-TREND BEAUTY SHOP Ecorse Rd. at Merriman Rd.	ED'S HANGAR LOUNGE Eureka Rd. at Colbert
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OAKLEY & OAKLEY, ATTORNEYS Goddard near 5-Points	A TO Z PARTY STORE Wayneport Plaza	LEONARDO'S PIZZERIA Merriman Rd. S. of Ecorse Rd.	
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AVENUE CLASSIC CAR Goddard - Downtown Romulus	SPEEDWAY GAS STATION Wayne Rd. at Wick Rd.	SUBWAY SHOP Merriman Rd. S. of Ecorse Rd.	
FAMILY HAIR SHOP Goddard - Downtown Romulus	CITGO GAS STATION Wayne Rd. at Wick Rd.	UNIGLOBE TRAVEL AGENCY Merriman Rd. S. of Ecorse Rd.	
GODDARD MARKET Goddard - Downtown Romulus	WICK ELEMENTARY SCHOOL Wick Rd. W. of Shook Rd.	DISCOUNT CAR RENTAL Merriman Rd. N. of I-94	
MICHIGAN SECRETARY OF STATE Goddard - Downtown Romulus	ROMULUS JR. HIGH SCHOOL Wick Rd. W. of Shook Rd.	BIG BOY RESTAURANT Merriman Rd. N. of I-94	

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